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FOR: (A) WASHDC - EB/ISM

(B) GENEVA - ASHLEY HEWITT (ATTENDING UNCTAD
COPPER MEETINGS)

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EMIN, ETRD, ILZSG

SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL LEAD AND ZINC STUDY GROUP -
KEITH BUCK'S MEETING WITH MR. JAIN OF INDIA

1. FOLLOWING MESSAGE FOR HEWITT FROM BUCK, ILZSG:

(A) MR. JAIN OF INDIA, EN ROUTE TO MEETING IN
MOZAMBIQUE, HAD DINNER WITH BUCK ON MAY 14. AS
MOZAMBIQUE MEETING ENDS MAY 20, HE WILL ATTEND
STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING IN LONDON ON MAY 23 IF HE
CAN. HOWEVER, HE EXPECTS TO BE APPOINTED RAPPORTEUR
FOR MEETING SO MAY BE UNABLE TO LEAVE MOZAMBIQUE IN
TIME TO BE IN LONDON MAY 23.

(B) JAIN SUGGESTS THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF DEVELOPING
COUNTRY OR EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRY BE APPOINTED
CHAIRMAN AND VICE-CHAIRMAN OF STANDING COMMITTEE IF
POSSIBLE. JAIN ALSO FAVORS ANNUAL ROTATION IN
EXECUTIVE POSITIONS OF STUDY GROUP AND ITS COMMITTEES
IF POSSIBLE IN ORDER TO BRING ABOUT MORE PARTICIPA-
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TION BY MEMBER COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY DEVELOPING
MEMBER COUNTRIES. HE IS CONCERNED THAT THE STUDY
GROUP SHOULD NOT GIVE IMPRESSION OF ORGANIZATION
PRIMARILY FOR THE BENEFIT OF INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES.

(C) JAIN RECOMMENDS STRONGLY AGAINST ESTABLISHMENT
OF ANY KIND OF MANAGEMENT SUB-COMMITTEE OR EXECUTIVE

COMMITTEE WITHIN EITHER STANDING COMMITTEE OR STUDY GROUP ITSELF. HE FAVORS INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS WITH OFFICERS OF STUDY GROUP AND ITS COMMITTEES.

(D) JAIN INDICATES THAT INVITATION FOR STUDY GROUP TO MEET IN INDIA IS NOT COMPLETELY FIRM FOR 1978.

HAVE CLEAR IMPRESSION THAT INDIA WOULD NOT BE EMBARRASSED IF WE DECIDED TO MEET IN GENEVA OR ELSEWHERE IN 1978.

(E) YOU MAY WISH TO PASS JAIN'S VIEWS ALONG TO DIETRICH AND JOHNSON.

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